GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

BALTIMORE. March 16, 1 p.m. quotations.—Wheat.—Dull and lower; spot No. 2 red, 1.95½; spot No. 2 red western, 1.95½; March No. 2 red, 1.95½; April, 1.95½; steamer No. 2 red, 1.80½; receipts, 72,785 bushels.

Corn.—Easier; spot contract, 1.16¾; March, 1.16¾; April, 1.16¾; receipts, 76,759 bushels; exports, 217,813 bushels.

Oats.—Steady; standard white, 75; No. 3 white, 74½; receipts, 70,883 bushels.

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Rye—Firm; No. 2 western export,
1.67; receipts, 20,230 bushels.
Hay—Steady.
Grain freight, no quotations.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 16 .- Butter -- Un

CHICAGO, March 16.—Butter—Unchanged.
Eggs—Higher; receipts, 5,616 cases. Firsts, 27%, a28; ordinary firsts, 26%, a 274; at mark, cases included, 25a274;.
Potatoes—Higher; receipts, 25 cars. Wisconsin and Michigan white, 2.30a 2.40; Idaho, Oregon, Colorado and Washington, 2.40a2.60.
Poultry—Alive, higher; fowls and springs, 23%.

browns, 32a33.

Cheese — Irregular; receipts, 4,808 boxes; state held, specials, 274/a274/; do., average fancy, 264/a27.

Live poultry—Unsettled; chickens, 23; fowls, 25; turkeys, 25.

Dressed — Quiet; chickens, 18a29; fowls, 174/a234/2; turkeys, 18a31.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

EACH OF THESE HOUSEHOLD "SUGGESTIONS" HAS WON AN AWARD OF ONE DOLLAR

The Star each week offers to pay \$1 for "suggestions" it considers worthy of publication on this page. These "suggestions" should concern the management of the home, the kitchen or the office—with particular attention given to methods that effect a saving in expenditure of time, money or labor.

The Star each week offers to pay \$1 points and the place of the ordinary or strikingly quite out of the ordinary or strikingly for five or ten minutes until the place is thoroughly dry and you will find that the scratch has entirely disappear. Let stand for five or ten minutes until the place is thoroughly dry and you will find that the scratch has entirely disappear. Let stand for five or ten minutes until the place is thoroughly dry and you will find that the scratch has entirely disappear. Serving Grapefruit.

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If one has never tried any other way of serving grapefruit than the old and tedious method of halving them, carefully removing the pithy center and clipping each section, the following may

THE growing demand for TOP-NOCH BREAD is evidence that it has proved its worth as a factor in LOWERING LIVING EXPENSES.

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Years

A large family of small children has and a brush; then put a coat of varnish on the soles and it will sink right in, and then put on another and leave over night. Wear for a few days, then put another coat of varnish again. By this time the soles will be waterproof.

A Novel Manner of shoes:

the rind can be removed as easily as a kind glove, bringing with it all the pithy inner rind which is so disagreeable.

The thin skin of each section can be rapidly split and the pulp turned out of it. Slightly sweetened, either alone or in mixed with other fruits, this makes a few days longer and then varnish again. By this time the soles will be waterproof.

Cream-Colored

A Novel Match Scratch.

Because the matches were scratched on the wall paper almost as much as on the match box I conceived the idea of removing the glass from a small oval picture frame and framing a piece of sandpaper just as I would a picture. of sandpaper just as I would a precise.

I put a small screw-eye on top of the frame, thus allowing it to hang perfectly fast against the wall. I now have a better match scratch than I have been able to find anywhere, as the frame prevents the match from being carried over the edges of the sandpaper.

C. L. H.

To Make Hosiery Wear.

If you wish your stockings and socks wear longer take them before they

thinned with alcohol, to the linoleum, using an ordinary paint brush. This will dry in a few hours and leave the linoleum with a clean, sanitary surface.

D. F. M.

Scratched Furniture.

If you have a pretty piece of furni ture which is ruined by a deep scratch or mark of some kind, just get the meat from a black walnut and peel the brown skin off. With the white of the meat rub on the place scratched

Cutting the High Cost of Living

LOFFLER'S SAUSAGES re in high favor with economical housekeepers.

THEY CONSTITUTE a delightfully appetizing meat dish to which there is absolutely NO WASTE!

¶SERVE "LOFFLER'S" often and you'll lower table expenses appreciably. ¶ Many varieties—all GOV-

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Have you ever tried "Swift's Premium" Oleomargarine?

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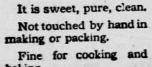
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able price.





be of interest: Pour over the grape nade my shoe bill appalling until I them. Allow them to stand not more

I carefully wash and rinse my lace I have ready the following: Reat an egg to a

The black stove in the kitchen is the most depressing article in it, even though it be the most necessary. The manner in which it can be transformed in a delight to the eye and an ornament to the house consists in the painting of it with aluminum or silver paint, such as is used on radiators. The appearance of the stove after a coat of this paint will be as if it was entirely nickel-plated, and it will keep its color remarkably.

The paint will not become daily discolored like stove polish does, but will look bright for years, except where the fire is very hot, where it can be repainted as often as necessary, and much more quickly than similar discolorations on a black stove can with stove polish. Where there is an undercoating of stove polish on the stove there is apt to be a little smoke from the paint, but that quickly passes off.

The paint will keep its color on latrobes for nearly a year, and always looks better than stove polish. Other metallic ter than stove polish or keep their color as well as aluminum. The paint not only the paint will seep its color or as well as aluminum. The paint not only the paint will seep its color as well as aluminum. The paint not only the paint will seep its color or as well as aluminum. The paint not only the paint seep the paint will seep the paint seep the paint will seep the paint seep the paint will seep the paint will seep the paint w

they do not look or keep their color as well as aluminum. The paint not only looks well, but it saves the continuous

THE BUSINESS OF BEING A HOUSEWIFE. WHAT IS REAL SERVICE?

The average family today is nearer an

A woman friend who had been en gaged to be married for ever-so-long was visiting there recently. "I presume ince everything is so high we'll never get married now." The wise housekeeper suggested that they follow her plan and buy a modest place. A moderate payment would make it theirs, and by economizing on luxuries and service they would soon own a home. "No, indeed," replied the young woman. "When I get married I'm not going to have the responsibility of seeing to lawns, windows and front steps in summer and that there is coal and wood in for winter. Neither do I want to economize on decorating the way you do. I'll just leave ail that to the landlord." You see she has lost her power to tell real values and distinguish true service.

adding to the cost of every commodity service based on false standards. Just what is the best service a dealer could

squarely in the face.
Upon a second thought you will agree positively that sending a loaf of bread or a cake of yeast or a can of beans on a special, hurry-up call is anything but the acme of regular, reliable servaccommodating one customer in this special way it is very probable that a dealer will disappoint another customer who has really planned ahead and or

advisedly, will also agree it is not real serv-You will also agree it is not real service for the grocer or butcher to "tide-you-over" for an indefinite period. It makes you careless and dependent while it works a great hardship on the small merchant and his family. If your grocer is "carrying" several slow payers he cannot give you the best service. His overhead expenses become so heavy that he doesn't make enough to keep his store up, much less improve. All that outstanding money is drawing interest from some one besides the ones who are getting the benefit of the use of it.

Encouraging Best Service.

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Have stated periods to pay your accounts if you prefer not to pay cash. Settle all accounts on that date and encourage your grocer to be strict in such matters. It will mean better service for you.

The grocer is not in business to lend money, if e hasn't the kind of organization to take care of that particular business. Where a customer wants a loan he should call on a bank just as he calls on a tailor for clothing, a furniture dealer for furnishings, etc.

The average dealer doesn't know just how to do the collecting without antagonizing the customer he has so specially served. A cash basis of buying proves most satisfactory. It keeps the grocer is the customer free to go where the real service is the best.

Quality and Cleanliness.

The greatest real service a grocer of butther can possibly give to his patrons.

Trioled by the gas valve and the reason for carbon the reason for carbon these on turn may be caused by the gas either too much gas or not enough air, or both these continues. Then the same that there can be stated as either too much gas or on the safety of the lamp is prover as flow full to a stoppage in the fature or pip-time, and the lamp is perfect, we must be lamp is put to the lamp is proved. At the end of the first half to the down the gas flow at the gas valve and the lamp is prefect, we must business. Where a customer wants a loan he should call on a bank just as he calls on a tailor for clothing, a furniture dealer for furnishings, etc.

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The greatest real service a grocer or butcher can possibly give to his patrons is to keep a clean store well stocked

You Can Do Your Bit in the trenches, in the home, in the office, in the factory, in the store, when the body is nourished with foods that build healthy muscle without overtaxing the digestive organs. Shred-ded Wheat Biscuit contains the greatest amount of body-building nutriment at lowest cost. It strengthens the muscles of the stomach and intestines by making them do their normal work in a natural way. A betterbalanced ration than meat or eggs, more easily digested and costs much less. Readycooked and ready-to-eat. For breakfast with milk or cream, or for any meal with fruits. Made at Niagara

Falls, N. Y.

analytical frame of mind than ever before they are worn and soak them for two or three hours in cold water, to which a handful of 'sait has been added, then rinse them well and hang them in the open air to dry. Continued experience has shown that this simple treatment makes the stockings wear much longer and also reduces fading. S. H. B.

Longer-Life Linoleum.

To preserve linoleum and to restore it to a new brightness, apply pure linseed oil to the surface and rub it in thoroughly with old rags or waste. After twenty-four hours have passed, to allow the oil to be absorbed completely, apply a coat of clear shellac, thinned with alcohol, to the linoleum using an ordinary paint brush. This will dry in a few hours and leave the linoleum with a clean, sanitary surface.

False Standards.

To preserve indementals of real service. To have a clean store he will have such think, a human attribute that in some think think, a human attribute that in some think think think to flippantly say the low the dependable names on the packages.

The mech service. Poultry—Alive, higher; fowls and springs, 23½.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 4,648 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 42½a43; creamery, extras (92 score), 42; firsts, 38½a41½; seconds, 35½a38.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts, 17,792 cases. Fresh gathered, extra firsts, 30½; firsts, 29¾a30; nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 34a36; nearby hennery browns, 32a33.

Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 4,808

Dependable Service.

A regular delivery system would wife would then plan ahead and give in her order the "day before" so it could go out on the morning delivery. Any special orders that could not be

Any special orders that could not be taken care of in the regular morning or afternoon trip should be charged for as special service. After we had paid for our thoughtlessness ourselves a few times we would improve along the lines of planning.

All balanced up these real services would tend to increase our own efficiency many times over.

Why not start a neighborhood club yourself? Have the leading women of your community look into this special service problem and its relation to the high cost of living. You'll be astounded at the money involved in the little extra services you demand. Start a campaign for real services today.

these parts away, and does not remedy the trouble permanently.

Carbon on a gas mantle is caused by one thing, namely, incomplete combustion of the gas. To be clearer the free carbon in the gas must be oxidized by the mixing of the gas with the oxygen of the air prior to the ignition of the gas. This mixture is controlled by the gas valve and the air shutter. Then the reason for carbon may be stated as either too much gas with the oxygen of the complete combustion of the gas. This mixture is controlled by the gas valve and the air shutter. Then the reason for carbon may be stated as either too much gas work of the gas with the complete combustion of the gas. This mixture is controlled by the gas valve and the air shutter. Then the reason for carbon may be stated as either too much gas work of the gas with the complete combustions of the gas with the combustion of the gas. This mixture is controlled by the gas valve and the air shutter. Then the reason for carbon may be stated as either too much gas with the combustion of the gas with the combustion of the gas with the oxygen of the air prior to the ignitiant of the gas. This mixture is controlled by the gas with the combustion of the gas with the oxygen of the air prior to the ignitiant of the gas with the oxygen of the air prior to the gas with the oxygen of the gas with free carbon in the gas must be oxi-dized by the mixing of the gas with the oxygen of the air prior to the igni-tion of the gas. This mixture is con-trolled by the gas valve and the air shutter. Then the reason for carbon may be stated as either too much gas or not enough air, or both these con-ditions.

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STRIKERS' WIVES MARCH TO LABOR DEPARTMENT

Cramps Emerson Phone

Guatemala Reinaugurates Cabrera.

GUATAMALA CITY, Guat., March 16.

More than 100 woman strike sympa-thizers, some of them with babies in their arms and others leading children Jerome Verde by the hand, gathered about the De-

by the hand, gathered about the Department of Labor building this afternoon in an effort to see Secretary Wilson in regard to the street railway strike.

The women were headed, in a march along Pennsylvania avenue, by Mrs. George A. Wilburt, wife of the president of Local 689; Mrs. R. McDaniel and Mrs. F. B. Mann, also wives of strikers.

They carried signs with such inscriptions as "We will stand by our men to the last," "We cannot win if we do not stick together" and "We intend to win this strike."

When the women learned that the Secretary was not in his office they tried to see Louis F. Post, assistant sec-

tried to see Louis F. Post, assistant secretary.

Assistant Secretary Post saw the delegation. Mrs. McDaniel acted as spokeswoman. She said the women were heart and soul with the men in their efforts to gain a higher wage. Mr. Post outlined what the department already had done in an effort to bring about an agreement, and told them of the limitations of the department's activities in dealing with the situation.

Leaving the Department of Labor the women marched toward the District building, saying they intended to seek an audience with the District Commissioners. sioners.

Some of them also proposed calling at the office of the Washington Railway and Electric Company to try to see President King.

WASHINGTON SAVINGS Grain. Produce. **READY FOR BUSINESS** Cotton Markets.

CHICAGO, March 16.—Only moderate declines resulted in the wheat market today from the issuance of orders for the railway strike to begin Saturday. Apparently hope that a way to prevent the threatened strike would yet be found acted as a restraining influence on bearish sentiment. Selling was of liberal proportions, but had no appearance of being a stampede character. Opening prices, which ranged from ½ to 2½ lower, with May at 1.78 to 1.79½ and July at 1.54½ to 1.55, were followed by a slight rally and than a sag that in some cases went a little under the initial level.

Corn sympathized with the bearish section of wheat but showed relative Thirty-ninth Bank Enters in Compe tition for Deposits - Capital, \$50,000 - Officers Named.

Investors Demand Further Conce sion in Values for Local Bonds. Washington Gas Stock Lower.

BY I. A. FLEMING.

initial level.

Corn sympathized with the bearish action of wheat, but showed relative steadiness. A blizzerd reported in which we have a few and a second s nounced, all without a "leak" in the in this direction in 7th street banking Am Steel Fdy 62 circles a few weeks ago.

The new bank has a capital of \$50,000, is named the Washington Savings Bank and is located on 10th street northwest between G and H streets. A general savings and commercial banking business will be conducted, with 2 per cent interest paid on checking and 4 per cent on savings accounts.

The officers of the bank are: J. D. Leonard, president; W. J. McEvoy, first vice president; Earl F. Marean, second vice president, and E. H. Dyer, treasurer. OATS—

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NEW YORK, March 16.—Flour unsettled. Pork strong. Beef firm.

Lard strong; middle west, 19.60a19.70.

Molasses firm. Hay firm. Hides quiet.

Leather firm.

Raw sugar—Steady; centrifugal, 5.33; molasses, 4.46; refined steady; fine granulated, 7.00a8.00.

Sugar futures opened steady on covering and a little buying by trade interests. At noon prices were 1 to 2 points net higher.

urer.
The bank announces its opening for business, with hours from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, and on Saturdays from 8:30 to 12 o'clock noon and from 5 to

Dividends Declared.

Directors of the Union Trust Com pany have declared the regular quar terly dividend of 1% per cent for the current quarter, payable April 15, to shareholders of record April 1, books for the transfer of stock being closed between the 1st and the 14th, inclusive.

Easy to Market Bonds. According to all reports, the accumu

financial centers has been going on a a rapid pace. The sain in Washington deposits, over \$5,000,000 in a little over two months, has been duplicated over and over in the financial centers. Such a state of affairs will undoubt-edly be shown by the report of the con-troller of the currency when the re-ports as of March 5 have been summarized.
Conditions make for easy financing

Conditions make for easy financing of government loans, with the prospect for the first issue or two being taken by general investors in small lots rather than by syndicates of the great bond and banking houses.

It was announced weeks ago that the Secretary of the Treasury would soon market \$150,000,000 3 per cent short-term certificates of indebtedness. The simple fact that no banking commissions are to be paid would aid in the belief that it will be, when issued, a popular loan.

popular loan.

Nor is there any question but what the loan would be many times oversub scribed, for there are thousands of con servative investors who will not place

ment issue.

Attention is also called to the near-at-hand period for the payment of \$25,-900,000 to Denmark for the Danish West Indies, while preparedness will call for larger bond issues in the near future.

Building Association News. The board of directors of the Northeas

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO. March 16. — Hogs — Receipts, 19,000 head; slow, 10c to 15c above yesterday's average. Bulk, 14.65a 14.95; light, 14.15a14.90; mixèd, 14.40a 15.00; heavy, 14.40a15.00; rough, 14.40a 14.55; pigs, 10.75a13.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 2.000 head; weak; native beef cattle, 9.00a12.60; stockers and feeders, 6.80a9.75; cows and heifers, 5.70a10.65; calves, 9.75a13.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000 head; steady; six months of the existence of the asso ciation last night at the home of President James L. Sherwood, Queens Chape and Bunker Hill roads northwest.

The secretary, Arthur J. Kause, reported that the examiner of the Treas-

and feeders, 6.80a,5.75; cows and helfers, 5.70a,16.85; calves, 9.75a,12.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75; sheal,2.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75; sheal,2.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75; sheal,2.75. Sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75; sheal,2.75; calves, 9.75a,12.75

directors at last night's meeting. Local Stock Market. Business at today's session of the Business Extremely Light, but With

Washington Stock Exchange was large iy confined to trading in Washington the sales sheet at 75% to 75%, a distinct shading of prices. Capital Traction stock was rather of steady, but was ex-dividend 1% per was decidedly slow and somewhat irregu-

steady, but was ex-dividend 1½ per cent in the quotations, and but six shares sold, this being at \$2½.

There was a distinctly easier trend to bonds of practically all descriptions, except American Graphophone 6s, which sold fairly well, but with no transactions worthy of mention.

Bid prices on a number of leading local bond issues have been materially reduced: 104 bid for Capital Traction 5s; 105 5 for Washington Gas 5s; 100 ½ for Potomac Electric consolidated 5s, and 103 ½ for Potomac Electric first 5s, one of the high-grade issues listed on the exchange. City and Suburban 5s cellent but for the strike threat.

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Union Tank Line Co.
Vacuum Oil Co.
Washington Oil Co.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK LEAD MARKET. NEW YORK, March 16.—The metal Atlas ptd. exchange quotes lead easy, 9% asked. Du Pont Du Pont livery, 10% asked. At London—Lead, £30 10s; spelter, £47. Hercules ptd.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

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16½ 16½ Lehigh Valley.... 67 Alaska Gold Min. 81/4 814 814 Lig & Myers pr.... 12214 12214 12214 12214 Long Island R R... 401/2 Mackay Cos pr.... 6414 Am Ag Chem..... 921/6 921/6 92 Maxwell Motor.... 551/4 551/4 551/4 Am Beet Sugar... 911/2 911/2 90% 45% 46% Miami Copper..... 41 American Can.... 46 10654 10656 Minn & StL (new) 23 American Can pr. . 106% 106% Minn StP & SSM. . 110 110 Am Car & Fdy 65% 66 6514 66 Missouri Pac ctfs. 11% 11% 11% 11% 1314 Am Hide & Le pr. 67 673% 67 American Linseed. 2014 2014 2014 Am Linseed pr.... 54% 54% 54% Nat Enam & Stp.. 34 Am Malt Corp cfs. 71/8 71/8 Nevada Copper.... 241/6 241/6 24 Am Smelt & Ref. 104% 105% 104% 105% N Y Central 94% Am Sm & Ref pr. . 112 11234 112 American Sugar., 111 Am Tel & Teleg...127 127 Am Woolen..... 493/8 493/2 49½ Ohio Gas & Elec., 11.% 114½ 112 113½ Pacific Mail..... 221/2 23 Am Wrtg Pa pr... 50% 51 Pennsylvania 531/6 8436 People's Gas..... 971/2 Associated Oil..... 71% 71% 71% 71% Atlantic Coast L., 115 115 A G & W Indies... 1063 107% 106 10734 Pitts Coal pr ret...116 118 Baldwin Loco..... 53 53 Pitts Steel pr..... 100 75% Press Steel Car.... 77 Balto & Ohlo..... 751/2 751/2 751/2 Barrett Company. 11624 11634 11634 Pullman Car Co... 16176 16176 Bethlehem Steel. . 1321/2 1331/2 131 133 Ry Steel Spr pr.... 99 Beth Stl Cl B w 1. 11614 12014 11614 12014 Ray Copper...... 66% Reading Co..... 93% Brooklyn Rap Tr., 6634 6634 651/2 Butte Superior.... 4714 4714 46 467/ Reading 2d pr.... 4234 154 Rep Iron & Steel. . 79% Canadian Pacific. . 154 154 9134 Rep Ir & Stl pr.... 10436 10436 10436 10436 Central Leather ... 901/2 911/8 Cerro de Pasco... 38% 39 Royal Dutch etfs. 631/2 631/2 631/2 631/4 Ches & Ohlo..... 581/2 581/2 581/4 581/2 Seaboard Air Line 14 14 Chi Grt Western.. 111/2 111/2 111/2 113/2 Sears-Roebuck.... 189 1923/2 189 1923/2 Sears-Roebuck pr. 126 126 126 126 33 Chi Grt West pr... 33 33 Chi Mil & St P.... 81% 82 8134 82 1171/2 117 Sloss-Sheffield.... 631/2 641/4 Chi Mil & St P pr. 118 Chi & Northwn... 1131/4 1131/4 1131/4 1131/4 Southern Pacific.. 931/2 941/4 931/4 941/4 Southern Rwy.... 271/4 CRI&P1st pd.. 37 37 24% 251/2 Southern Ry pr... 58 58% StL & San Fran .. 191/2 191/4 191/4 191/4 Col Fuel & Iron... 471/6 47% 47% Studebaker Corp. . 102 103 102 103 4438 Studebaker pr... 106 10632 106 Columbia Gas.... 45 Con Gas of N Y ... 119% 119% 119% 119% Tenn Cop & Chem. 16% 16% 16% 16% Corn Products.... 231/4 241/2 231/4 241/8 Texas Companies. 226 227 Corn Products pr. . 1051/2 1071/2 1051/2 1071/2 Tobacco Products 557/4 563/4 557/4 563/4 rucible Steel.... 65% 66% 65% 6638 Un Bag & Paper.. 12 1897 Union Pacific..... 135% 137% 13514 13714 Juhan-Am Sugar, 189 Cuban Cane Sug. 43 43 421/2 421/8 Utd Alley Steel .. 451/8 451/2 45 Utd Cigar Stores.. 1011/4 1011/4 1011/4 1011/4 Cuban Care S pr.. 99 Un'ted Fruit..... 142 142 140% 142 Deere & Co..... 98 Del & Hudson..... 1391/2 1391/2 1391/2 US Cast Ir Pipe.. 19 Den & Rio Grand.. 141/2 141/2 141/2 U S Ind Alcohol... 1241/2 1251/2 1237/8 1241/4 U S Rubber 59% 59% 59 59% Den & Rio Gr pr. . 2914 2914 Distillers Secur... 21 Dome Mining..... 18 17% US Steel Corp'n .. III U S Steel pr..... 1171/2 1171/2 1171/2 Driggs-Seabury... 561/2 561/2 56 2634 Utah Copper..... 11332 115 11334 11434 39 Va-Car Chemical.. 4034 4134 4034 41 Va Iron C & C 60 Federal Mines pr.. 43% 43% Wabash pr A..... 47% 48% 47% leneral Electric... 1631/2 1631/4 1631/2 1633/4 Wabash pr B..... 243/2 243/2 243/2 Gen Mtrs te ctfs. . 1211/ 125 1201/2 1231/2 Western Md..... 231/2 231/2 G Mtrspr te ctfs. . 8914 8914 8914 891/8 Western Union.... 98 Westinghouse.... 511/4 511/4 loodrich (BF) 56 loodrich pr......110 110 Wheeling & LE. 1714 1714 rt Northern pr. .. 11314 11314 11314 11376 Wheeling & LEpr. 39 39 Wilson & Co.... 64 Gt Noretfsforop. 3414 351/6 3414 35 421/2 Willys-Overland.. 343/6 35 ireene-Cananea.. 421/2 421/2 3414 3414 4234 12534 Woolworth......144 144 144 144 Julf States Stl.... 125 125% 102 102 Illinois Central.... 102 102 Selling Ex-Dividend Today. nspiration Copper 60% 61% American Smelters Securities pfd. A, 1324 142, and pfd. B, 14; United Drugs, 144; P. Lorillard, 3, and 6 extra, and pfd. of same, 134; Crucible pfd., 332; Texas Co., 232; American Beet Sugar pfd., 132; Texas Co., pfd., 134; George Helm, 232; pfd., 134. nterbor Consol... 1314 1314 nterbor Con pr... 641/2 Int Agricul Cor.... 1734 1734 1734

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HOURLY SALES OF STOCKS 11 a.m.... 125,700 12 m.... 174,200 1 p.m.... 294,800 2 p.m..... 242,800

Lee Rubber Co.... 22 22 21% 21%

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Some Concessions and Many Ad-Despite Disquieting News.

Small Pressure Exerted, Even on Rail Shares.

NEW YORK, March 16.-The market

which sold fairly well, but with no transactions worthy of mention.

Bid prices on a number of leading local bond issues have been materially reduced: 104 bid for Capital Traction 5s; 105½ for Washington Gas 5s; 100½ for Potomac Electric consolidated 5s, and apparent uneasiness generally, traders and incomplete in the technical position of the market is said by prominent Wall street men to be exchange. City and Subrivan 5s were also soft, with 102 bid.

Condition of the United States Treasury.

Condition of the United States Treasury at close yesterday showed:

Naturally with the threat of a nation, wide strike on the railroads of the country, with disturbing international news and apparent uneasiness generally, traders have been materially and paperent uneasiness generally, traders have been materially and paperent uneasiness generally, traders have been materially with disturbing international news and apparent uneasiness generally, traders have been materially with disturbing international news and apparent uneasiness generally, traders have been materially with the threat of a nation.

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vance of nearly three points.

Soon after the opening uneasiness over the strike situation and a feeling that the bear side might be profitable induced considerable short selling, resulting in the elimination of some of the earlier gains, Industrial Alcohol. General Motors and Lackawanna Steel receding 1 to 2 points, after which the market assumed a general apathetic appearance with very little trading and some strengthening of prices.

Some Later Recoveries.

Steel common, which had gone off to 110%, wiping out the earlier advance, came back to 111. General Motors recoveries are supported by the strength of the st

came back to 111. General Motors re- Western Union 41/28 covered from 120 % to 124 %, while Mercantile Marine preferred lost but 1/4 net. Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies, on the other hand, held strongly for 1/2

Alcohol came back for all but a point

Open High. Low. 1:15.
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New York Bond Market.

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American Tel. and Tel. ev. 44/28.
American Tobacco 68
Anglo French 58
Armonr & Co. 44/28
Atchison gen. 48
Baltimore and Ohio ev. 44/28
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Bethlehem Steel ref. 58
Bethlehem Steel ref. 58
Central of Georgia cons. 58
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Central Pacific Isis
Chesapeake and Ohio 41/28
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Chicago, B. and Quincy gen. 48
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Chicago Great Western 48
Chi. Mil. and 8t. P. gen. 44/28
Chi. Mil. and 8t. P. gen. 44/28
Chi. and Northwestern gen. 31/28
Chile 68 (new)
Chile 78
Colorado and Southern ref. 41/28
Consolidated

PARIS, March 16 .- Trading was quiet on the bourse today. Russian industri-Alcohol came back for all but a point recovery, while Utah Copper was firm.

Many industrials did not show on the ticker.

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French Bourse Quiet.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 16 .- The Commonwealth Hotel, the oldest and dollars by fire and water last night.

largest hotel in Harrisburg, was damaged to the extent of thousands of

Harrisburg's Oldest Hotel Damaged.

The principal damage was done by water, which flooded the upper floors. Five stores on the street also suffered considerably.

ticker.

The rails were a little soft early, but the quotations later were very close to the final figures of yesterday.

The market closed dull, but strong, the rails showing especial strength.